

46th Annual Mid-Atlantic Region Association for Asian Studies Conference
“Mobility, Technology and the Environment in Asia”

October 6-8th at Drexel University

Conference Schedule Overview

FRIDAY, Oct 6th

9 am -3:30 pm: Teaching Asia Workshop (at the Academy of Natural Sciences of Drexel University)

4:30-6:30 pm: Opening reception and Asian Art exhibition opening (Paul Peck Alumni Center)
There will be an exhibition of Asian art from the Drexel collection during the entire weekend of the conference.

SATURDAY, Oct 7th

ALL DAY: Registration and book exhibit

8 am: Registration and continental breakfast

8:45 - 10:15: Concurrent panels

10:30-noon: Concurrent panels

12:15-1:45: Annual Business Meeting Lunch and keynote address, “East Asia and Anthropology: Research in Motion c. 1900” by speaker Dr. Laurel Kendall, former president of AAS

2:00-3:30: Concurrent panels

3:45-5:15: Concurrent panels

5:30-6:30: Research showcase, hosted by Drexel Department of Global Studies and Modern Languages (Featuring Student Research Poster exhibition and student performances)

7:00-9:00 Dinner and keynote address “The Domestication of Tea and its Spread as a Steeped Beverage” by Distinguished Asianist recipient, Dr. Victor Mair, University of Pennsylvania

SUNDAY, Oct 8th

ALL DAY: Registration and book exhibit

8 am Registration and continental breakfast

8:45 - 10:15: Concurrent panels

10:30-noon: Concurrent panels

12:30-1:30: Brunch and Presidential roundtable featuring Clyde Goulden and Paul Callomon, of The Academy of Natural Sciences of Drexel University